Public Notice of Application for State of Washington 401 Water Quality Certification

Project Name: Chewuch River Right Fish Enhancement Project

Applicant: Yakama Nation Fisheries

Project Location: Tax Parcel No. 9800750002, located adjacent to the Chewuch River north of

Winthrop, Okanogan County

Project Description: Place fill in no more than 0.19 acre in wetland A and in no more than 0.07 acre in wetland B, install instream habitat structures, spawning gravel, and reconnect and recreate a historic side channel in the Chewuch River. Creation of 0.85 acres of forested wetland and 0.70 acres of riparian wetland.

Public Notice Date: May 14, 2015 Comment Period Ends: June 3, 2015

Application and Additional Information:

Ecology's Federal Permit Website http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/fed-permit/ Click on Central Region.

Ecology will review the work pursuant to Section 401 of the Clean Water Act, with applicable provisions of State water pollution control laws.

Ecology is requesting comments from the public, state and local agencies, tribes, and other interested parties to evaluate the impacts of each proposed activity. Conventional mail or e-mail comments on this public notice will be accepted and made part of the record.

Comments should be sent to:

Department of Ecology—SEA Program Federal Project Coordinator Post Office Box 47600 Olympia, Washington 98504

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To obtain a hard copy of the project information, please call 360-407-7421.

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